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AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 9th Day of *March*, 1759,

PRESENT,

The KING's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majeſty was pleaſed, by His Order in Council of the 20th of February laſt, to ſignify His Royal Pleaſure, that the Bounties of Three Pounds for every Able Seaman, and of Thirty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman and Able Bodied Landman, fit for His Majeſty's Service, ſhould be continued to be paid to all ſuch who ſhould voluntarily enter themſelves on Board any of His Ships of War, on or before the 21ſt Day of April next; and that the ſaid Bounties ſhould be paid to them reſpectively, immediately after their firſt Muſter on Board the Ships into which they ſhould ſo enter—And whereas ſince the Iſſuing the aforementioned Order, His Majeſty hath been given to underſtand, that there are at this Time diſperſed in various Parts of the Kingdom, great Numbers of Seamen and Seafaring Men, many of whom may be inclined to enter into the Service, and reap the Benefit of His Majeſty's ſaid Bounties, provided that the Juſtices of the Peace, or other Magiſtrates (near to whom the ſaid Seamen may reſide) were authorized and directed to receive them, and to cauſe them to be conducted to any of the Ships of War;—His Majeſty hath therefore been pleaſed, with the Advice of His Privy-Council, to Require and Command all the Juſtices of the Peace, and Mayors of Cities and Towns throughout the Kingdom of England and Wales, and likewiſe the Provoſts of Edinburgh, Glaſgow, and Aberdeen in Scotland, to receive all ſuch Seamen and Seafaring Men, who ſhall appear before them, and offer to enter as Voluntiers, in Caſe they are of Health and Ability fit for His Majeſty's Service, and not above the Age of Fifty, nor under the Age of Twenty Years, and to grant to each Seaman a Certificate of ſuch his voluntary Offer, and to cauſe them to be conducted, by proper Perſons, to ſome Sea Officer employed in raiſing Men on Shore, or to the neareſt Sea Port Town, in order to be put on Board any of His Majeſty's Ships of War, which Sea Officer on Shore, or the Captains of ſuch Ships, are directed to pay to every ſuch Seamen, after his being ſo put on Board (upon producing the Certificate aforementioned) the ſaid Bounties of Three Pounds to every able Seaman, and of Thirty Shillings for every ordinary Seaman;—And to the End that His Majeſty's Directions given herein may be made known to all Perſons concerned, His Majeſty has therefore ordered, that the ſame ſhould be publiſhed in the London Gazette.

W. Sharpe.

Whitehall, Feb. 23, 1759.

Whereas it has been humbly repreſented to the King, That divers Robberies, Burglaries and Thefts, have, of late Years, been committed within the ſeveral Counties of Eſſex, Hertford, Cambridge, and Suffolk; to the great Injury of the reſpective Inhabitants of thoſe Counties; and that, by the Care and Vigilance of ſeveral Gentlemen in the Commiſſion of the Peace for the County of Eſſex, aforeſaid, A Gang of the ſaid Robbers has been diſcovered; Seven of whom, being already taken, are committed to Chelmſford Goal; and, upon Informations, which have been given, diligent Search is making after the Others; His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering, and bringing to Juſtice, the remaining Perſons of the ſaid Gang, (hereunder deſcribed, and not yet taken) is, hereby, pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon, as alſo a Reward of One Hundred Pounds, to any One of them, who ſhall diſcover the Reſt of the ſaid Gang of Perſons, hereunder deſcribed, or any Two, or more of them, ſo that they may be apprehended and convicted of any, or either, of the Robberies, Burglaries, or Thefts aforementioned: The ſaid Reward to be paid by the Right Honourable the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury, upon the Conviction of any Two, or more, of the Offenders.

HOLDERNESSE.

Deſcriptions of the Perſons not yet taken, and againſt whom Informations have been given, for the Robberies committed as above, viz.

WILLIAM SALMON, of Thaxted, Jobber, about 28 Years of Age, 5 Feet 10 or 11 Inches high; well made, with grey Eyes, a ruddy Complexion, light colour'd curled Hair, and a Dimple in

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in his Chin.—Suppoſed to have gone off in light coloured Cloths.

JACOB MURTON, of Thaxted, Butcher, about 35 Years of Age, 5 Feet 9 or 10 Inches high, ſtrong Built, a round Face, full dark Eyes, brown Eyebrows, his own ſhort brown Hair.—Suppoſed to have gone off in a Blue-grey Coat.

JAMES CARDINAL, of Thaxted, Cordwainer, about 25 Years of Age, a down Look, a black Complexion, dark Eyes and very full black Eyebrows, a ſhort Noſe, rather riſing at the Point, thick Lips, a large Mouth, large Noſtrils, full Beard, and dimpled Chin; lately wore his own black Hair, but went off in a brown Wig.

ALLEN LUNN, of Thaxted, Heel Maker, about 30 Years of Age, 5 Feet 8 Inches high, a brown Complexion, Light-grey Eyes, thin made, and a thin Beard, except on his Upper-Lip, where it is very ſtrong and full.—Went off in a Grey Cut Wig.

WILLIAM BELCHAM, of Hemſted, Labourer, about 40 Years of Age, a ſhort, thick, well-ſet Man, full faced, dark brown lank Hair.

Admiralty Office, March 13, 1759.

MY Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty having received many repeated Complaints of divers outragious Acts of Piracy committed on Board great Numbers of Ships, as well Engliſh as Neutral, ſailing in the Engliſh Channel, by the Crews of Ships or Veſſels being or pretending to be Engliſh Privateers:

Their Lordſhips therefore, in order to detect and bring to Juſtice the Perſons guilty of ſuch Piracies and Robberies, (in Violation of the Laws of Nations in general, and of this Kingdom in particular, and to the great Diſhonour thereof) are pleaſed to promiſe a Reward of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS, unto or amongſt ſuch Perſon or Perſons as ſhall within Three Months from this Time, diſcover any one or more of the Offenders guilty of any ſuch Acts of Piracy as aforeſaid, ſo as ſuch Offender or Offenders ſhall be apprehended and duly convicted thereof.

And in regard the Committing of ſuch Offences as aforeſaid are greatly encouraged by divers Perſons as Acceſſaries thereto, who knowingly aſſiſt, maintain, councel, or adviſe the Committing of ſuch Acts of Piracy, and alſo by Perſons who receive Goods ſo piratically taken, and entertain and conceal Offenders, knowing them to have committed ſuch Robberies:

Their Lordſhips therefore, in order to detect or bring to Juſtice the Perſons guilty of ſuch laſt mentioned Offences, are pleaſed to promiſe a Reward of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS, unto or amongſt ſuch Perſon or Perſons as ſhall, within Three Months from this Time, diſcover any one or more of the Offenders guilty of any ſuch Offences laſt mentioned, ſo as ſuch Offender or Offenders ſhall be apprehended and duly convicted thereof. Which ſaid reſpective Rewards before mentioned, ſhall be paid, clear of all Deductions whatſoever, by Samuel Seddon, Eſq; Solicitor of the Admiralty, immediately after the Conviction of ſuch Offenders.

And as a further Encouragement, any of the ſaid Offenders, (other than and except the reſpective Commander or Commanders of any ſuch Piratical Ships or Veſſels) who ſhall diſcover any one or more of the ſaid Offenders, ſhall, on the Conviction of ſuch Offender or Offenders ſo diſcovered, be intitled to His Majeſty's moſt Gracious Pardon.

And their Lordſhips do alſo promiſe to grant, upon Requeſt, to every Perſon, being a Seaman, (who by making any ſuch Diſcovery or Diſcoveries, as aforeſaid, ſhall be intitled to either to the Whole, or to any Part or Parts of any of the above-mentioned Rewards) an abſolute Protection, to prevent his being impreſſed into His Majeſty's Sea Service, during this preſent War with France.

J. Clevland.

Admiralty Office, February 19, 1759.

Whereas by the Eleventh Article of His Majeſty's Inſtructions given to Commanders of Merchant Ships and Veſſels, with the Letters of Marque againſt France, it is directed that they ſhall keep a Correſpondence by all Conveniences, and upon all Occaſions, with the Commiſſioners for Executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, or their Secretary, and not only to give an Account of their Captures or Proceedings, but alſo of all they ſhall diſcover by any Means whatever concerning the Deſigns of the Enemy, their Fleets, Ships or Veſſels, and of their Stations.

And whereas by the Fifteenth Article of the aforeſaid Inſtructions it is likewiſe directed, that the ſaid Commanders ſhall, by every Opportunity, ſend exact Copies of their Journals to the Secretary of the Admiralty.

To both which Articles very little, if any Regard has been paid by ſeveral of the Commanders of Merchant Ships and Veſſels having Letters of Marque, and it being a Matter of the utmoſt Importance that the ſame ſhould be ſtrictly complied with;

My Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty do therefore give Notice to the ſaid Commanders, and all other Perſons concerned, that they will direct the Proctor of the Admiralty, to proceed according to Law, againſt all ſuch as do not punctually comply with His Majeſty's Inſtructions before-mentioned.

J. Clevland.

War Office, Feb. 24, 1759.

This is to give Notice, that, for the Future, whoever intends to purchaſe a Commiſſion in the Army, ſhould firſt inform himſelf at the War Office, whether the Commiſſion, for which he is in Treaty, may be ſold with the King's Leave. And in all Inſtances, where it ſhall be found that any Money, or other Conſideration, has been given for a Commiſſion, not openly ſold with the Leave of His Majeſty, the Perſon obtaining ſuch Commiſſion will be ſuperſeded.

By His Majeſty's Command,
BARRINGTON.

All Perſons qualified to ſerve as Officers in the Militia of the County of Derby, and willing to accept of Commiſſions therein, are deſired to meet at the George in Derby, on Saturday the 24th Inſtant, in order that every Perſon ſo qualified and willing to accept Commiſſions, may at ſuch Meeting deliver his Name in writing to His Majeſty's Lieutenant, or to ſuch Perſon as he ſhall appoint to receive the ſame, ſpecifying the Rank in which he is willing to ſerve. Given under my Hand the 12th Day of March 1759.

DEVONSHIRE.

Whereas

Whereas a ſufficient Number of Gentlemen did not offer themſelves as Officers in the Militia for the County of Durham, at the laſt Meeting, held for that Purpoſe at the City of Durham, in and for the ſaid County; His Majeſty's Lieutenant for the ſaid County, therefore, hereby gives Notice, that there ſhall be another Meeting, (according to the Directions of the Acts of Parliament for the better Ordering the Militia for the ſeveral Counties of that Part of Great-Britain called England) on Saturday the 24th of March Inſtant, at the Houſe of Mr. Peter Blenkinſop, Innholder, in the City of Durham aforeſaid, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon of the ſame Day, when and where ſuch Gentlemen, properly qualified, as are willing to accept Commiſſions in the ſaid Militia, are deſired to give in their Names in Writing to his ſaid Majeſty's Lieutenant, or to ſuch Perſon or Perſons as he ſhall authorize to receive the ſame, ſpecifying alſo the Rank in which they are willing to ſerve. Given under my Hand this 12th Day of March, 1759.

DARLINGTON.

Navy Office, March 2, 1759.

The principal Officers and Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy give Notice, that there is in the Hands of the Treaſurer of the Navy, Money to pay off all Bills regiſtered on the Courſe of the Navy for the Month of September 1758, in order that the Proprietors of, or ſuch Perſons as are legally empowered to receive the ſame, may bring them to this Office to be aſſigned for Payment accordingly.

South Sea Houſe, London, March 13, 1759.

The Court of Directors of the South Sea Company give Notice, That the Tranſfer Books of Old South Sea Annuities will be ſhut on Wedneſday the 28th Inſtant, at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Friday the 27th Day of April next.

And that the Warrants for the Half-year's Intereſt due thereon the 5th of April next, will be paid on Tueſday the 8th of May following, on which Day of Payment the Tranſfer Books of Three per Cent. Annuities 1751, will be ſhut.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majeſty's Ship Dover, who were actually on board at taking the Pondicherry Prize, from the Eaſt Indies, that a third and final Diſtribution will be made on Account of the ſaid Prize, at the George and Volture Tavern in Cornhill, London, on Monday the 2d of April 1759; and the Shares not then demanded may be received at Mr. Samuel Touchet's near the Manſion Houſe, the firſt Monday in every Month, between the Hours of Ten and One, for three Years to come.

Clergymen of the Church of England, having Families, whoſe yearly Incomes in Spirituals and Temporals do not exceed 40 l. (to be verified on Oath) and who have not already applied for Mr. Brucer's Donation of 20 l. are deſired to ſend their Names, Places of abode, and a particular Account of their Incomes and Families, to Mr. Daniel Fiſher, in Lyon's Inn, London, in order to a Diſtribution of Mr. Brucer's Eſtate (as far as it will extend) among ſuch of them as ſhall be deemed the moſt proper Perſons to receive ſuch Donation: And this Notice is given to prevent any unneceſſary Expence, Journies, or Applications, on Account of the ſame.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majeſty's Ships America, Achilles and Huſſar, who were on board at taking the Heureux Malouin Prize, on the 17th of Auguſt laſt, that they will be paid their reſpective Shares thereof, viz. For the America, on her Return to England; for the Achilles, on board; and for the Huſſar, on board the Æolus, at their Return to Plymouth. The Recalls for the America and Achilles the ſecond Tueſday at the French Horn in Crutched Fryers, and for the Huſſar the firſt Wedneſday of every Month at Meſſ. Innes and Clerk's in Lime-ſtreet Square; for three Years after they are paid in Port.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companie of His Majeſty's Ships and Cutters under mentioned, who were actually on board at the taking the Raiſonable French Ship of War, on the 29th of April 1758, that they will be paid their reſpective Shares of the Produce of the Hull, Furniture, and Stores of the ſaid Ship, on board the Ships to which they reſpectively belong, as follows; Dorſetſhire and Dunkirk, at Spithead, before they proceed to Sea; Chicheſter, on her Arrival at Portſmouth; Achilles, on her Arrival at Plymouth; Intrepid, and Alcide, upon their Return to England; Peace and John and Robert, armed Cutters, at the Fountain at Portſmouth, on the 19th Inſtant. The Bounty or Head-Money for the ſaid French Ship of War, will be paid to the Officers and Company of the Dorſetſhire and Achilles, at the ſame Time: And the Recalls of the Whole will be paid at the French Horn in Crutched Fryers, on the third Tueſday in every Month, for three Years after the firſt Payment.

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By the KING's *Patent,*

HIS MAJESTY having been graciouſly pleaſed to grant his Royal Letters Patent, bearing Date at Weſtminſter the 17th Day of October 1751, in the 25th Year of his Reign, unto Richard Rock, of the Pariſh of St. Bridget, otherwiſe Bride's, London, Licentiate in Medicine, for his New Compound Medicine, or Anti-Venereal Cathartick Electuary, for the true Cure of freſh Venerea l Injuries, and all the lurking Relicts or Remains of old ones, which he has brought to a ſurprizing Degree of Perfection in the Cure of the ſeveral Stages of the Venereal Diſtemper, from the ſlighteſt Infection to the moſt inveterate Degree thereof, without breaking or impairing the Conſtitution, enervating the human Syſtem, or leaving any Foulneſs or Weakneſs behind: This is therefore to acquaint the Publick, for whoſe Uſe and Benefit the ſaid Letters Patent were principally obtained, that the ſaid moſt admirable Electuary is ſold by him at the Golden Head and Key, Bell Savage Inn Gateway, Ludgate-Hill, London, at only 6 s. and a Book of plain Inſtructions (by the Help of which every one may be his own Phyſician) given with each Pot: Where Advice is to be had, and all Debilities, Obſtructions of the urinary Paſſages, and Gleets, are abſolutely cured.

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